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Dear Sir:

STATUS LETTER

This status letter requests information on the status of the above-identified application and repeats the request for information submitted on two prior occasions (November 5, 2004 and July 18, 2005). No response has been received to either of the previous status letters. This letter attaches a copy of the status letter filed on July 18, 2005, together with the explanatory attachments to that letter, in the event the prior status letter has been lost. Please provide information indicating the status of this application and when the patent can be expected to issue.

Respectfully submitted,



Dated: November 23, 2005

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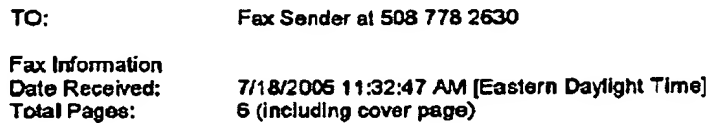
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No response has been received to a previous status letter mailed on November 5, 2004.

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